Some of the Comforts For Auto Rides!

Nothing gives greater pleasure than to take a fast drive in the crisp autumn atmosphere when you have all the comforts, such as comfortable Coats, comfortable Furs, Robes and Blankets. We have all that will make your auto ride enjoyable.

Auto Coats, some of heavy blanket material, some plain with belts and straps, also some plaid on one side and plain on the other; others the sailor collar style. Some are exclusive styles, ranging in price from \$12.00, \$15.00, \$21.50, \$27.50 to \$40.00. Black Melton Cloth \$5.00

Auto Wraps of Unusual Quality. Heavy Caracul Coats \$15.00 Black Broadcloth \$15.00

Heavy Polo Coats, with belts, from \$40.00 \$16.98

full length, special value \$37.50 Brown Coney Coats.

Pony Coats, \$115.00 \$45.00 FURS-MUFFS AND SCARFS. A Handsome Wolf Set, in black and blue; special \$27.50 Black Wolf Scarfs \$15.00

at..... Black Wolf Muffs, Jap Mink Set, some at \$50.00 Mink Sets from \$65 \$185.00

Just Received Some New and Very Serviceable Robes and Blankets for Auto Purposes

These are all new designs, imported and domestic, including the finest imported, some American make; are scarcely below the standard of high-price imported, strictly all wool clan and other plaids, in many bright and dark blendings, all double face, with plain and plaid reverse; splendid values for \$4.00, \$5.00, \$7.00 and upwards.

"BEN HUR!"

By Lew Wallace. With 48 photograph illustrations of the play-The regular \$2.50 Players' Edition on sale at \$2.00 each. BEN HUR. Popular Edition. Publishers' price \$1.50; special,

AT THE MERCY OF TIBERIUS. By Augusta Evans-Wilson.

Miller & Rhoads

SHELTERING ARMS | MANY LANDLADIES

Charles Hewett, White, Believed

to Be Man Who Robbed

Boarding Houses.

Charles Hewett, white, who has long

been wanted by the police, was ar-rested yesterday morning by Detec-

tive Sergeants Wren and Wiltshire

and locked up on a charge of being

drunk on the street. No other charges

had been preferred against him last night, but it is alleged that he is

wanted for many boarding house rob-beries, warrants for which will be sworn out probably to-day.

Hewett, it is alleged, applies a very accessful method of winning his way

into the confidence of boarding house

GOES BACK TO PRISON

Watson Johnson Convicted on Charge of Violating Parole. Watson Johnson, colored, known as con-vict No. 53%, of the Virginia Penitentiary,

CHILD BURNED

Clifford Mallory Catches Fire While Stand. ing in Front of Grate.

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Clifford Mallory, the six-year-old son of O. J. Mallory, the six-year-old son of O. J. Mallory, 1213 Floyd Avenue, was terribly burned yesterday morning, his night clothes catching fire from an open grate in front of which he was standing. The little fellow had just arisen and was warming himself in front of the fire when his clothes were ignited by a spark. His mother heard his cries and rushed to his ald and extinguished the flames. The boy's face was fortunately not burned, but his body was terribly scorched.

He was trated by Dr. John F. Winn, of 114 North Fifth Street, who thinks he will recover.

Leaves of Absence.

Leave of absence for three months was granted yesterday by the Adjutant-General to First Lieutenant A. J. More, of the Second Company of Coast Artillery, at Norfolk.

The leave of absence of Second Lieutenant E. W. Page, of the Second Company of Coast Artillery, has been extended to January 1, 1910.

Private Discharged.

Ward Is Named for Mrs. Elizabeth Howard Peter-

Resolutions on the death of the late president, Mrs. Elizabeth Howard Peterkin, were adopted at the November meeting of the board of directors of the Sheltering Arms Hospital yesterday, and to perpetuate her memory the board designated a ward, contain ing five beds, to be called "The Eliza beth Peterkin Ward." Much of the suc cess of the hospital, which cares for the sick without charge, has been due to the untiring efforts of Mrs. Peterkin. One of the rooms in the hospital, mamed "The Rebekah Peterkin Memor-hal Room," was founded in the name of her daughter, who founded the insti-

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GOFS RACK TO PRISON

Into designed with method of winning his way successful method of winning his way income of the property and the confidence of boarding house keepers. He rents a room, it is said, during the day, saying that he had to work at night, and leaves a call for 2 o'clock or some other time during the afternoon. In one inatence the boarding house keeper fitted up his room sand general household supplies. The Loving Circle, of King's Daughters, furnished an entire room.

There are now ten private rooms and six wards, containing about forty beds in all. The hospital has a small revenue from the city and its endowment. Most of the help comes from voluntary gifts of friends.

The house committee appointed for this month consists of Mrs. H. L. Lorraine and Mrs. Freeman Irby. The election of a president to succeed Mrs. Peterkin will be held in January, at the annual meeting of the board.

GOFS RACK TO PRISON

Back From Vacation.

Rives B. Hardy, assistant secretary to Governor Mann, has returned from a vacation of two weeks, spent at his home in Nottoway county.



Loose Back O'Coats

are back in favor. Ours are cut full and free, so as not to hinder you from stepping out—\$12.50 to \$30.00.

Looser Back Sack Suits, too. They are "draped," rather than "shaped," to the figure—\$13.50 to \$35.00.

Any store can follow the fashion. Keeping a month or two ahead is what keeps us high in the favor of Mr. Smart Lee Drest.

Jacobs and Levy

Raincoats, rubber and rubberized, \$5.00 to \$25.00. All sizes. Boys', too.

Closing of Richmond Institution to Be Considered by Commission.

OPPOSITION IS INTENSE SHEWEY

Houses United Against Petition.

a conference held between the members of the commission and the attorneys for the parties in interest.

Richard Evelyn Byd represented at yesterday's conference the petitioners, constituting the bondholders' committee of the William R. Trigg Company, composed of Horatio G. Lloyd, E. L. Bemis, Howard D. French, E. B. Addison, John S. waterbury and James Crosby Brown. The city of Richmond was represented by its attorney, Henry R. Pollard, and Juage George L. Christian appeared for the Richmond Chamber of Commerce, William W. Crump took the place of his father, Judge Beverly R. Crump, who is out of the city, and who represents Stephen A. Ellison & Company, the Virginia Bonde Warehouse Corporation, and E. A. Saunders' Sons Company. These are business houses who claim that their trade will be injured if the dock is closed.

Legal Points First.

It being determined that the date indicated would be satisfactory to bushels, or 154, 4 per cent. This is a gain in one year of 7,293,000 bushels, or 154, 4 per cent. This is a gain in one year of 7,293,000 bushels, or 154, 4 per cent.

It being determined that the date indicated would be satisfactory to all parties, it was decided upon. There are many constitutional and legal points involved, and these are to be presented by the attorneys on that

day.

Should the litigation not terminate as a result of the argument then adduced, a further day will be set on which to hear testimony, and the com-

Can't Sell Property.

FRATERNALS' INCOME

To the public use."

For the petitioners, it is set forth that the bondholders are losing their rights by reason of the public easement with which the property is affected, making it impossible to dispose of the land in fee simple or for any other purpose. It is further complained that an offer was made to self the dock to the city of Richmond, the Council declining to make the purchase.

Therefore the hondholders desire to be given power to sell the land and to devote the proceeds of the sale to the payment of the bonds of the defunct William R. Trigg Company, a former shipbuilding concern.

The respondents argue that the bill is unconstitutional anyway, and cannot be acted under, in that its practical operation would contemplate the deprivation of the citizens of the Commonwealth of their rights of property without due process of law. To this end the claim is made that the Commonwealth of their rights of property without due process of law. To this end the claim is made that the Comporation Commission has no authority, and, further, that it has no jurisdiction to do what it is asked to do.

In its answer, the Chamber of Commerce advanced the plea that the destruction or filling in of this dock would be a calamity to the growth and progress of Richmond, Further, the Chamber says that according to its understanding, the reason the City Council del not acquire the property when it was offered to it was not because the members and the precision of the continuance was not appreciated, but because the members of the Council believed the owners were already compelled to keep the dock open and in condition for the commerce of the city forever.

U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

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U. S. Circult Court of Appeals. The United States Circuit Court of Appeals reconvened yesterday at 11 o'clock, with Circuit Judges Goff and Pritchard and District Judges McDowell and Rose in attendance.

of Elkins W. Va.

No. 372-Merchants' Coal Company, of West Virginia, plaintiff in error, vs. Frank H. Leonard, defendant in error; in error to the Circuit Court at Martinsburg, W. Va. To be argued by P. J. Crogan, of Kingwood, W. Va., and Joab H. Banton, of New York City, for the plaintiff in error, and by Henry M. Russell, of Wheeling, W. Va., for the defendant in error.

CHARGED WITH MURDER

Coroner's Jury Lays Killing of Lawrence Pitts at Gus' Helland's Door. Private Discharged.

Private Charles M. Mears, of Battery C. Field Artillery, of Portsmouth, was yesterday discharged by the Adjutant-General for the good of the service of the Virginia Volunteers.

Soldier Transferred,

Private Charles M. Mears, of Battery C. Field Artillery, of Portsmouth, as colored, was confined in the Police also colored, was confined with the murder of Lawrence Plits also colored, was confined with the murder of Lawrence Plits also colored, was confined with the murder of Lawrence Plits also colored, was confined with white plants also colored, was confined with white plants also colored, was confined with white plants al

DATE FIXED FOR VIRGINIA'S BIG MUNICIPAL PLANT DOCK ARGUMENT INCREASE IN CORN ALMOST COMPLETE

Engineer Trafford Promises

Broad Street Lights for

Christmas.

CURRENT BY DECEMBER 15

Contractors Assure Electricity

Committee There Will Be

No More Delay.

Broad Street during the coming month will present the appearance of a

great "white way," This much was as-

sured last night at the meeting of the

Council Committee on Electricity, Di-

rect questions asked those in charge

brought forth the information that not

a doubt existed but that the ornamen-

tal lights on Broad Street would be

burning before the month of December was a week old, and that the current

would be supplied from the municipal

Engineer Trafford, in charge of the

Leads Southern States in Average Yield Per Acre-Makes Large Gain.

LEAVES SERVICE

City, Chamber and Business Resignation Is Accepted-Statistics as to Fraternal Societies.

Argument on the legal points involved in the litigation over the proposed closing of the Richmond dock will be had on Tuesday, December 5, at 10 A. M., before the State Corporation Commission. An agreement to this effect was reached yesterday at a conference held between the members of the commission and the attorneys for the parties in interest. of Agriculture at Washington that Virginia leads all the other South Atpleased to note the increased total State yield as compared with last

amounts to 45 per cent, of the total gain for the entire country. This indicates, as much as anything could do, the wonderful advance in agriculture being made in the Southern States.

In Virginia the average yield per acre for 1909 was 23.2 bushels, which has grown to 25.5 bushels in 1910. In ten years the average yield in this State has increased from 22.7 bushels. Second to Virginia in average yield is Louislana, which has gone up from 23 bushels in 1903 to 23.6 bushels in 1910. Georgia is the lowest, but is improving, having increased from 13.9 last year to 14.3 bushels this year. The total crop in Virginia last year in bushels was 47.328,000, which has gone up to 54,621,000 bushels in 1910. This is a gain in one year of 7,293,000 bushels, or 15.4 per cent.

SHEWEY RESIGNS

Adjutant-General Accepts Retirement of Staunton Officer.

which to hear testimony, and the commission will consider the matter on the facts.

In this case the petitioners, acting under an act of the last Legislature, have applied to the State Corporation Commission for an order closing and discontinuing the city wharf of Richmond, formerly the Trigg wharf, and which is affected with a public use or easement, in that the public has a right to make use of it. The law permits the commission to take such action in cases "where the city or town in which such dock or wharf may be located is establishing, or has established, docks or wharves open to the public, with or witt-nut payment of tolls, or in any case where there are other wharves or docks, public or private, which are equally open to the public use."

Can't Sell Property.

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Adjutant-General W. W. Sale yesterday accepted the resignation of Caphian Charles Shewey, of Company K. First Infantry, at Staunton. Captain Shewey was relieved of his command by Colonel W. J. Perry, the regimental wording the resignation of Caphian Charles Shewey. of Company K. First Infantry, at Staunton. Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander, in August. Almost immediately afterwards Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander, in August. Almost immediately afterwards Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander, in August. Almost immediately afterwards Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander, in August. Almost immediately afterwards Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander, in August. Almost immediately afterwards Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander in August. Almost immediately afterwards Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander in Captain Shewey was relieved of his commander in August. Almost immediately afterwards Captain Shewey was relieved of his commande Adjutant-General W. W. Sale yes-erday accepted the resignation of Cap-

In 1909 all assessments paid in Vir-uginia by members in this State amounted to \$1,023,083,26, and Virginia members received in benefits the same year the sum of \$910,644,92.

MILITARY CONFERENCE

with Circuit Judges McDowell and Rose in attendance.

Court announced and handed down its opinion in the following cases:

No. 947—Ritchie County Bank, E. M. Carver, trustee, petitioners, vs. R. L. McFarland, trustee in bankruptcy of Elicison Comphny, bankrupt, and George decision of District Court at Parkersburg, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Waddill. Judgment of District Court affirmed, with costs.

No. 956—Ritchie County Bank, E. M. Carver, trustee, appellants, vs. R. L. McFarland, trustee in bankruptcy of Elicison Company, bankrupt, and George Elicison, appellee; on appeal from the District Court at Parkersburg, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Waddill. Appeal from the District Court at Parkersburg, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Waddill. Appeal from the District Court at Parkersburg, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Waddill. Appeal from the District Court at Parkersburg, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Waddill. Appeal from the District Court at Parkersburg, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Waddill. Appeal from the District Court at Parkersburg, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Waddill. Appeal dismissed, with costs.

Court then went into conference on case, harotofore argued and submitted, Cases in Call To. Day.

No. 1698—Claude W. Maxwell, trustee, and the discussion of matters pertaining to the good of the service.

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Boy Wins Prize.

The Governor yesterday sent his check for \$25 to Isham Hardy, of Blackstone, as a prize for the largest yield amons members of the Nottoway County Boys' Corn Club. Young Hardy raised \$51-2 bushels of corn on an acre of land.

Now Is the Time

In early years is the time to save, earn new, before extravagant habits are ormed. Start with \$1.00 and earn 3 erp

The Savings Bank of Richmond 1117 East Main Street.

Tan and Gray Rubber Raincoats

Plenty of them now in all sizes for Men, Women and Children.

Gans-Rady Company

SOCIETY MAY PAY BIG CAMPAIGN

Grand Fountain of True Reformers to Be Called in Extra

Calling upon President A. Holmes to convene the Grand Fountain of the United Order of True Reformers in extraordinary session for the purpose of dealing with the troubles of the order, dealing with the transfer of colored citizens of Richmond, held last night, favored the guarantee by the Grand Fountain of all the liabilities of the defunct savings

opinion. He stated that if the lights were not burning before December 15 h he would be the "maddest man in Rich mond." H. K. McKay, the man who is laying the conduits, added that he was positive that all would be ready before Christmas, and Charles P. Taylor, the resident representative of Storm & Co. of Newark, contractor for overhead work, was the last to say that he was bure all predictions would come true.

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It is presumed that extra assessments would be necessary on the part of the members to pay off the obligations of the bank, but those present at last the order should take high ground and announce its willingness and its intention of relimbursing the depositors of the bank and of paying off in full all claims against the True Reformers.

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work, was the last to say that he was sure all predictions would come true.

Object to Pole Line.

Several requests were heard for lights in different parts of the city. Residents of the west side of Lauret Street objected to the placing of poles for carrying municipal current on that side of the street. The matter was referred to the City Electrician and the City Engineer. A request was received from the School Board for lights at John Marshall High School, and this was tabled for consideration later. More lights in the several parts of the city was another matter which was deferred for future consideration.

The claim of the Southern Plumping Company was referred to the City Attorney. The claim of McKay and Company for \$2,000 was ordered paid, despite the fact that some of the repaving which was contracted for by this company had not been completed. I. J. Smith and Company were the subcontractors.

Plant Nearly Ready.

this year, at which time a new president was elected.

Others Are Solvent.

The resolutions adopted last night set forth the fact that confidence in colored institutions should not be shaken by the failure of the Savines Bank of True Reformers and the embarrassment of the order, since other colored enterprises are in a prosperous condition and are meeting their obligations.

The creation of an advisory commission was advocated, to be composed of white and conservative colored citizens, working together to save the society. The meeting pledged itself to the support of the order if it would pay its obligations.

President Holmes was urged to investigate alleged violations of the law, and to use all the power of his position to bring to light any crookedness of whatever kind in any branch of the order, and to see to it that any persons found to be guilty of wrong-doing be promptly and sufficiently punished. Plant Nearly Ready.

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Engineer Trafford reported the new city plant nearly ready for operation. He stated that the water plant would be tested this week and that the steam plant would be ready for inspection by next week. It was at this time that expressions of opinion as to when the lights on Broad Street would be cut on were asked, and the unanimous opinion of those in charge of the construction work was to the effect that the plant would be ready and the lights on before the middle of December.

The question of determining the officers to be in charge of the municipal plant and their salaries was referred to a subcommittee composed of Chairman E. D. Richardson and Councilmen Jones and Bowman.

A petition was heard from Bergdoli and Pawling who did the iron work, asking \$550 additional pay. Action had already been taken on this request, but the previous action of the committee was reconsidered and the concern may now present its claim anew.

A subcommittee was appointed to revise the electrical ordinances, and the committee was authorized to make arrangements for a tour of inspection before the current was turned on.

CATHOLIC RAZAAR

JUDGMENT ON NOTE

Chaimer's Estate Must Pay for Indorsement Made in 1905.

Judgment was entered yesterday in the City Circuit Court in the case of the First National Bank against John M. Miller, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of James F. Chaimers, for \$1,500 with interest. Mr. Chaimers was indorser in a note for \$10,507, dated November 6, 1905, drawn by D. Wiley Anderson as president of the American Hygienic Brick Tile and Fireproof Company, and there are a number of credits and interest payments indorsed on the back of the note, which was made payable by Mr. Chaimers on demand at the First National Bank. Mr. Miller is vice-president and cashier of the First National Bank, Mr. Miller is vice-president and cashier of the First National Bank, and the friendly action is taken with a view to winding up the affairs of Mr. Chaimers, who was for a number of years president of the Albemarie Paper Manufacturing Company, and who died last year. Opening Despite Weather.

Opening Despite Weather.

Despite the weather, an immense crowd attended the opening last night of the Sacred Heart Cathedral bazar, at 627 East Broad Street. That it is the most pretentious affair of its kind ever attempted by those in charge, was the general verdict of all who were present.

BOARD TO MEET

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Arranged along both sides of the rooms are many tastefully decorated booths, containing artistic displays of all kinds of things to look at wear and cat. Needless to say the candy refreshment tables in charge of a bevy of young women proved one of the main attractions to the visitors, and were well patronized during the evening. This feature is most complete.

To the passerby a glance within the room where the bazaar is being held revealed a charming seene. It was inside, however, that one discovered how feally attractive it was. The room, at riot of color and a hive of activity was crowded, but not uncomfortably, with people young and old enjoying a universally popular form of diversion which is denied them but during a brief period once each yoar. The bazaar will be continued through the week.

BOARD TO MEET

Large Docket To Come Up To-Night for Concurrence.

The Board of Aldermen will meet to night at 5 o'clock to consider a large volume of concurrence. While the dockit is important there is no matter, or any serial general interest pending. The Committee on Ordinance Character and Reform mittee on Committee under the rules.

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The State Library Board will meet at 8 o'clock this evening in the office of State Librarian H. R. McIlwaine.

Two Sessions in Richmond Next Week.

CATHOLIC BAZAAR

During the sessions of the big edu-

Virginia Association Will Have Privileged Docket Will Probably End To-Day-Next Cases to Be Called. In the Supreme Court of Appeals yes

During the sessions of the big educational conference in Richmond next week, the Virginia Library Association will hold two meetings. This body praneously with those of the teacher and school workers.

One of the two meetings will be general, including members of the educational conference. Ex-Governor A. The extractional conference. Ex-Governor A. R. Lynch Montague and Ex-Gover

Work of Raising \$10,000 by Thanksgiving for Y. W. C. A. Starts Thursday.

of the canvass for funds which is to be conducted in the interests of the Young Women's Christion Association. Meetings were held yesterday in the association, Meetings were held yesterday in the association building by both the men and women's committee, which will direct the campaign, and final plans were adopted.

Present at the men's meeting were T. P. Bryan, J. W. Gordon, L. O. Miller, T. A. Cary, A. M. Gover, C. G. Taylor, Jr, and Carlton McCarthy
It was decided that the canvass shall be held during a period of six days, opening on Thursday of this week and closing the day before Thanksg'ving. It is to be known as the Thanksgiving anyass. The object is deceased.

make the coming canvass a complete success.

Present at the women's meeting were the following chairmen of committees: Mrs. Carlton Jackson, Mrs. Frank Duke. Mrs. W. H. White, Mrs. Chiles Ferrell. Mrs. Roshier Miller, and Mrs. Charles O. Saville.

Plans were made for all workers to meet to-day at 11 o'clock to be adderessed by Rev. D. Clay Lilly. The bolget of this meeting is to invoke applitual biessing for the success of the campaign. To-morrow at 1 o'clock the men's committee will meet at luncheon, and at 4 o'clock the women's committee will hold another meeting, at which final instructions for the canvass will be issued.

HUSTINGS COURT CASES

Jury Shows Clemency to Lynwood Gibbs, Indicted for Carbreaking.

Joseph Patterson, Arthur Hicks and Lyn-wood Gibbs, white boys, appeared in the Hustings Court yesterday for trial on a charge of breaking into and robbing a Ches-apeake and Ohio freight car of \$4.50 worth of shoes.

urged by Colonel Spottswood, his attorney he was sentenced to ninety days in jail and to pay a fine of \$5.

Betty Winston, a colored washerwoman was tried on a charge of stealing cloths from Mrs. D. A. Davison, appeading from the Police Court. She pleaded not suit the Police Court. She pleaded not suit but was convicted and sentenced to fifter days in jail. The court added to this by requiring of her \$520 security for twelve months.

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